

Desolation Wilderness Reservation Request Information for Calling, Mailing or Faxing

- This form is for requesting a reservation only. Quota space is limited for advanced reservation and submittal of this form **does not guarantee you a permit**. If there is a reservation available, you will receive your permit via the method selected on the form (mail or office pick-up).
- You will be notified by phone only if none of your choices are available. In that case, you will need to come into the office the day of your planned entry and try for a first-come, first-served permit or submit a new request for different zones and/or dates.
- Form must be received by the Pacific Ranger District office **at least 10 days in advance** of the planned departure date to allow for processing. If the request is received less than 10 days in advance, then your request will not be processed.
- Please use only one method to request a reservation (phone, mail or fax). Multiple requests for the same reservation date and party further congests our phone lines and staff time.
- When you receive your permit, make sure you **review the regulations, sign the permit, and carry it with you at all times on your trip**. If someone in your party will be traveling on separate dates or leaving from a separate trailhead, it is better for them to get their own permit covering their itinerary.
- Mail forms to: Pacific Ranger Station, 7887 Highway 50, Pollock Pines, CA 95726
- Fax to: 530-647-5406
- **Thank you for your partnership in the preservation of Desolation Wilderness.**

Desolation Wilderness Zone Quota Reservation Request

Please fill out the information below prior to calling for a reservation request. This will expedite the reservation process. If you are mailing or faxing the form, it **must be received by the office at least 10 days prior to your Date of Entry** or it will not be processed. Thank you.

Trip Leader Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ Alt. Phone #: _____

Total # of People in Party: _____ Of those, how many children 12 or under: _____

of Livestock: _____ # of Dogs: _____

- Review the Zone Map, Quota List, and the Trail Information pages on the Eldorado National Forest webpage to determine which zone is your destination for the first night: <http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/eldorado/recreation/wild/deso>
- You must stay in the zone you are permitted for your first night so plan carefully based on the slowest person in your group.
- Many zones have limited availability and fill up quickly so be sure to list alternate zones and/or dates.

Trip	1 st Choice	2 nd Choice	3 rd Choice
Zone Name (first night stay)			
Zone Number			
Date of Entry			
# of nights			
Starting Trailhead			

How would you like to receive your permit: Mail _____ Office Pick-up _____
(for after-hours pick-up, please call the office at 530-647-5415 to arrange for lockbox)

Credit Card # _____ Exp. Date _____
(You must include your complete credit card # for mail or fax processing)